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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: CC Docket No. 94-102, ex parte communication

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Rules, this is to advise the Commission that representatives of the National Emergency Number Association ("NENA") met yesterday with Chairman Powell and his Senior Legal Advisor, Bryan Tramont. Wireless Telecommunications Bureau Chief Tom Sugrue also was in the meeting. Attending for NENA were President John Melcher, First Vice President Richard Taylor and the undersigned, as counsel.

We discussed current developments such as the items on the 12/11 regular meeting agenda, together with the reconsideration order in the *City of Richardson* case, the recent clarification on harassing calls to 9-1-1, and the Bureau's several interventions to educate incumbent local exchange carriers ("ILECs") on their obligations to implement wireless E9-1-1 even if formal tariff mechanisms are pending approval, as well as the proper application of the cost allocation rules. The NENA representatives expressed the belief that most wireless carriers were reconciled to the Phase I and Phase II regulations but that the ILECs were not yet well integrated into the process.

Mr. Melcher summarized the NENA Strategic Wireless Action Teams ("SWAT") initiative which seeks to bring financial, technical and policy advice to local 9-1-1 authorities struggling with the complexities of wireless call location. A more detailed description of SWAT was placed on the record of the referenced proceeding October 31, 2002.

Sincerely,

James R. Hobson

cc: Bryan Tramont, Tom Sugrue